

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

1.-15. (Canceled)

16. (Previously Presented) A digital broadcast receiving system comprising:

a receive and demodulation section by which a digital broadcast signal received from the exterior is demodulated and outputted as a packet stream;

a packet filter that filters a predetermined packet in a plurality of packets composing said packet stream;

a record and reproduction unit by which said packet stream passing through said packet filter is recorded, and said recorded packet stream is reproduced and outputted;

an information table generator for generating a predetermined information table;

an output information insertion unit by which said predetermined information table is inserted to said packet stream outputted from said record and reproduction unit, thereby to output it as a new packet stream; and

a circuit changing switch that performs a selective switching between said packet stream outputted from said receive and demodulation section, and said new packet stream outputted from said output information insertion unit, thereby performing its transmission to a digital output section wherein,

said packet stream recorded in said record and reproduction unit does not conform to a predetermined standard, and said new packet stream is made to conform to said predetermined standard by inserting said predetermined information table, wherein,

said information table generator has a function with which the PID value of an ES to be described is subjected to an arbitrary alteration, to generate said predetermined information table; and

said output information insertion unit has a function with which the value obtained by said alteration to said PID value is substituted for the PID value of a packet transmitting an ES contained in said packet stream transmitted wherein,

said information table generator has a function with which the value of a program number of a program recorded in said record and reproduction unit is subjected to an arbitrary alteration,

to generate said predetermined information table; and

said output information insertion unit has a function with which the value obtained by said alteration to said program number is provided to said packet stream transmitted.

17. (Canceled)

18. (Canceled)

19. (Original) The digital broadcast receiving system according to claim 16, wherein when said new packet stream is transmitted from said output information insertion unit via said circuit changing switch to said digital output section, at least one of an SDT, EIT, BAT, PCAT (Partial Content Announcement Table), TDT (Time Data Table) and TOT (Time Offset Table) is multiplexed with said new packet stream, and then outputted.

20.- 43. (Canceled)